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Sir:

This is a request for filing a Continuation/Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53b of pending prior application:

Applicant:	Kevin B. Root et al.	Art Unit:	3613
Serial No.:	10/032,477	Examiner:	Siconolfi, R.
Filed:	January 2, 2002		
For:	INTEGRATED TRAIN ELECTRICAL AND PNEUMATIC BRAKES		

- Enclosed are: a) the Specification including Claims and Abstract (16 pages);
b) 9 sheets of 9 Formal Drawings.
- The Specification and Drawings filed herewith contain no matter that would be considered new matter in the prior application and incorporates some or all of the amendments made in the prior application and a cross-reference to the prior application. Applicant has added paragraph numbering, and Claims 3 and 4 have been rewritten as Claims 1 and 2.
- The filing fee is calculated below:

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Basic Fee:				+\$385/770=	\$770.00
Total Claims:	2	- 20 =	0	x \$9/18=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	2	- 3 =	0	x \$43/86=	\$0.00
TOTAL FEES:					<u>\$770.00</u>

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 02-1010 (509/35215C2).

- A check in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed.
- New Formal Drawings are enclosed.
- The prior application is assigned of record to:
New York Air Brake Corporation
- A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney as it appears in the prior application is enclosed.

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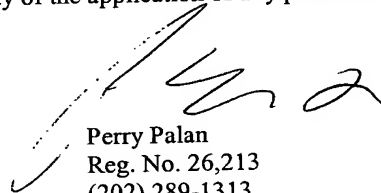
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9. A Response to Final Office Action in the Parent Application is enclosed.
10. An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.

It is respectfully requested that, if necessary to effect a timely response, this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response and shortages in other fees, be charged, or any overpayment in fees be credited to the Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 02-1010 (509/35215C2).

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

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